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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicants : Y. Shoenfeld and P. Fishman
Application No. : 09/405,050
Confirmation No. : 9070
Filed : September 27, 1999
For : IMMUNOTHERAPEUTIC METHOD OF TREATING
CANCEROUS DISEASES BY ADMINISTRATION OF
GAMMA GLOBULINS
Group Art Unit : 1645
Examiner : Albert Mark Navarro

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Hon. Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 2327
Arlington, VA 22202

PETITION UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.136(a)
FOR EXTENSION OF TIME

Sir:

Pursuant to 37 C.F.R. § 1.136(a), applicants hereby petition for a three-month extension of time to respond to the May 7, 2002 Office Action in the above-identified application.

With the extension, a response is due on or before November 7, 2002.

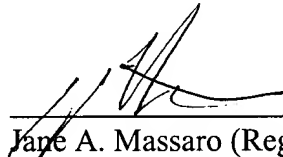
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A check in the amount of \$460.00 is enclosed herewith. The Director is authorized to charge any additional fees that may be due in payment of the fee required under 37 C.F.R. § 1.17(a)(3), or to credit overpayment of the same, to Deposit Account No. 06-1075. A duplicate copy of this Petition is enclosed.

Respectfully submitted,



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